1 2 3 4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 5 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 6 \* \* \* 7 Case No. 2:19-CR-278 JCM (VCF) UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 8 Plaintiff(s), **ORDER** 9 v. 10 HIEN HUU NGUYEN, 11 Defendant(s). 12 13 Chambers of Judge James C. Mahan received a letter from defendant Hien Huu Nguyen, 14 dated June 27, 2024, notifying the court that the Bureau of Prisons has not complied with the 15 court's order reducing his sentence at ECF No. 69. Under Local Rule IA 7-2(b), "[n]either party 16 nor an attorney for any party may make ex parte communications except as specifically 17 permitted by court order or the Federal Rules of . . . Criminal Procedure." "An ex parte 18 communication is a communication between a pro se party . . . and a judge or chambers when the 19 opposing party or attorney is not present or copied, including telephone calls, letters, or emails." 20 LR IA 7-2(a). 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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Counsel for defendant Nguyen, Jason R. Margolis, and the defendant are reminded that ex parte communications are prohibited and is cautioned against further attempts to communicate with the court ex parte. The court did not, and will not, communicate with any party ex parte. Defendant's counsel may file a motion in compliance with LCR 47-1, setting forth in full detail the supporting points and authorities. The court, out of an abundance of caution is filing the letter on the public docket, but will not address the defendant's request until a motion is filed. IT IS ORDERED DATED August 7, 2024. UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE 

James C. Mahan U.S. District Judge